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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:** Thomas C. Anthony

**Docket No.:** 10990034-1

**Serial No. :** 09/492,557

**Group Art Unit:** 2813

**Filed:** 01/27/00

**Examiner:** Erik Kielin

**Title:** MAGNETIC MEMORY WITH STRUCTURES THAT PREVENT DISRUPTIONS  
TO MAGNETIZATION IN SENSE LAYERS

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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT PER 35 U.S.C. §121**

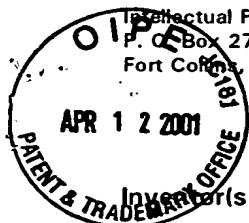
Please consider the following which is submitted in connection with an Office  
Action mailed **21 March 2001**.

**Election of Claims Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.142**

Applicants hereby elect the claims of Group I ( Claims 1-15), drawn to a  
magnetic memory device, without traverse.

**REMARKS**

In the Office Action mailed **21 March 2001**, the Examiner imposed a two-way  
restriction requirement between Group I, consisting of Claims 1 - 15, and Group II,  
consisting of Claims 16 - 22. Applicants hereby elect Group I (Claims 1 - 15),  
without traverse, for examination on the merits.



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Inventor(s): Thomas C. Anthony

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
( ) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
(X) No additional fee (Address envelope to "Box Non-Fee Amendments")  
( ) Other: \_\_\_\_\_ (fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	15	MINUS	22	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$80	\$ 0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$270	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$390.00	3RD MONTH \$890.00	4TH MONTH \$1390.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

Thomas C. Anthony

By \_\_\_\_\_

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